

ABSTRACT

WOUND TREATMENT DEVICE

- 5 A wound treatment device comprising a water-impermeable envelope having at least one aperture, wherein the envelope contains a therapeutic substance, and wherein the at least one aperture in the envelope is blocked by a material that breaks down in the presence of one or more active components of wound fluid thereby permitting the therapeutic substance to contact the wound fluid.
- 10 Preferably, the aperture is blocked by a material that is a substrate for an enzyme present in wound fluid, such as a protease.